## DECLARATION EMERGENCY EXTENSION A JOINT RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF LARSEN BAY AND THE NATIVE VILLAGE OF LARSEN BAY AUTHORIZING PRECAUTIONARY MEASURES TO PROTECT THE HEALTH, WELFARE, AND SAFETY OF THE RESIDENTS OF THE CITY AND NATIVE VILLAGE OF LARSEN BAY

## Resolution No. 20-06

WHEREAS, the city of Larsen Bay is issuing a Disaster Emergency Declaration extension on 15 April 2020, due to the current and expected imminent impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic for the City of Larsen Bay; and

WHEREAS, the declaration activates the tribe's emergency response plan and requests disaster assistance from the State of Alaska by making available resources as needed for the ongoing response and recovery from the current and potential impacts to provide individual assistance for affected businesses and individuals, and technical expertise and guidance to help the city in its response and recovery from this event; and

WHEREAS, this declaration continues until further notice, unless recneded or amended by consent of the council; and

WHEREAS, as the response and recovery efforts continue and are expected to require the ongoing use of the tribe resources, it is appropriate to extend the disaster declaration; and

WHEREAS, the council wishes this declaration in the best interest of the public safety of the residents of Larsen Bay,

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT;** The City and Tribe, under the declaration of emergency, hereby take the following actions, which will remain in effect until rescinded or amended by the City and Tribe:

- 1. All city and tribal facilities and buildings will be closed to the public in order to curb the spread of the COVID -19 virus.
- Travel to and from the community will be restricted to medical travel only. Travel is permitted for serious medical issues; all other travel is highly discouraged.
  - a. Upon return to the village, self-quarantine is required for 14 days minimum.
  - b. Inter-village travel is restricted and highly discouraged.
- 3. The movement of freight will continue; however, we discourage multiple individuals from meeting the plane to keep the risk low.
- 4. To protect the elders within the community, we encourage households where elders reside to limit or restrict visitors.
- 5. Social activities and/or gatherings are banned.
- Residents will inform health aides if they show signs of the virus immediately.
   They should also self-quarantine to protect their family members and the community.

- 7. Parents are urged to have children stay home, instead of visiting other households, for their safety.
- 8. Residents are encouraged to maintain at least 6 feet from others in public.

## NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF LARSEN BAY:

**SECTION 1.** That the declaration of local disaster emergency issued by the City of Larsen Bay on 15 April 2020, is hereby declared <u>Until Further Notice</u> in order to allow for a more complete response. A copy of the declaration of disaster emergency extended by resolution is attached and incorporated herein by reference.

SECTION 2. that this resolution takes effect immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the City Council of the City of Larsen Bay and the Native Village of Larsen Bay this 15<sup>th</sup> day of April 2020.

Mayor- City of Larsen Bay

President- Native Village of Larsen Bay

City Council member

Tribal Council Member

**ATTEST: City Clerk** 

ATTEST: Segretary/Treasurer